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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of:)	
Richard B. EVANS)))	Group Art Unit: 3724
Application No.: 10/829,269		Examiner: Laura Michelle LEE
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For: CUTTING ANVIL AND METHOD		

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed March 21, 2008, to which a response is due with a two-month extension by August 21, 2008. A request for a two month extension of time accompanies this submission. In view of the following amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections and allow all claims pending in the application. Please charge any deficiencies and credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 50-2036.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.